

WEATHER

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON Jan. 8—
Alabama: Unsettled with
occasional rains tonight and
Friday. Slightly colder to-
night in central and north.

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COTTON MARKET

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 8—Cot-
ton futures opened firm.
January 23:65; March 23:90
May 24:21; July 24:38; Oc-
tober 23:86.

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UNDERWOOD BILL IS ADOPTED

ENFORCEMENT OF
LAW IS SUBJECT OF
BREAKFAST PARLEY

Committee Is Received
By Mr. Coolidge At
White House

RESOLUTIONS ARE
PRESENTED HIM

Example of Executive
In Law Observance
Highly Praised

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—Law enforcement was discussed today around the white house breakfast table. The president's guests were Judge Elbert A. Gray, John D. Rockefeller Jr., and other members of a special committee representing the National Citizen's committee of One Thousand on Law Enforcement, which yesterday in New York closed its annual meeting with adoption of resolutions for presentation to the president and the governors of the various states.

The resolution requested the president and the governors to urge "all officials of every rank and classification, appointive or elective, to join them by precept and personal example and so far as they may, by active participation in all administrative efforts in maintaining among the citizenship of our republic the high determination to obey and enforce the law of the land."

A second resolution "commends to the people of the United States and particularly to their official representatives the attitude of the president in his obedience to the provisions of the eighteenth amendment to the constitution in the hope that the example of the first citizen of our country, may induce those who are not wilfully violating the prohibition statute to accept his leadership in conduct and to endorse and practice the integrity of his fidelity to the supremacy of the law."

Neher Back From
Brick Makers Meet

W. B. Neher returned today from Nashville, Tenn., where he has been attending the meeting of the Tennessee-Kentucky Brick Manufacturers Association held in that city on January 6. George J. Langenecker, of Memphis, was chosen as president for the ensuing year.

Mr. Neher of the local Alabama Brick and Tile company is a director in the organization.

At the meeting important facts were discussed regarding the past year and the future year in the history of the common brick manufacturers and the general business outlook for 1925.

First Fire Alarm
of Year Answered

The Albany fire department answered its first call for the year when it extinguished a flame on the roof of the home of Oscar Houston, 1416, 4th avenue south on Tuesday afternoon.

The second call of the year came at 11 o'clock on Wednesday when the truck was called to stop a grass fire at 912 Wadsworth street.

Woodall Opens
New Radio Shop

W. J. Woodall has opened a radio shop at 111 East Vine street and is equipping it with a complete line of radio machines and accessories and Willard storage batteries.

Mr. Woodall states that there has been a great need for a shop handling radio supplies exclusively and one that is able to employ its whole force and time to solving the radio problems of the local fans.

Mr. Woodall was formerly connected with the Harris Motors company, where he had charge of the radio and electric department.

PRINCE HENRY'S ENGAGEMENT REPORTED



LADY MARY SCOTT & PRINCE HENRY

The engagement of Prince Henry, the military member of the British royal family, to Lady Mary Scott, second daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Buccleuch, is daily expected by London society. Lady Mary, though only twenty, is said to possess an aristocratic dignity worthy of a royal match.

HOME AGENTS ARE
MEETING IN AUBURNGUN ELEVATION NOT
IN TREATY CONFLICT

Conference Expected
to Be Brought to Close
During Today

(Associated Press)

AUBURN, Ala., Jan. 8—To make an intensive study of methods in home demonstration work, to learn more about how to conduct rural surveys, to study parliamentary usage, and to take special training in the principles of lines and color as applied to home furnishings the county home demonstration agents of Alabama are now in Auburn. They remained over at the close of the conference of farmers, farm women and agricultural workers last week.

Methods of conducting farm surveys are being taught by Dr. E. L. Kirkpatrick of the U. S. department of agriculture Washington. The object is to take a cost of living survey in at least 350 homes. Each county home demonstration agent will make the study in ten to twenty-five homes.

Mrs. Erwin Craighead of Mobile was scheduled to give a course in parliamentary usage consisting of five lectures, but late news indicates that because of illness she probably will not be present.

Miss Josephine Eddy, clothing specialist for the extension service is conducting the course in lines and color and house furnishings. During the course each county worker will prepare illustrated material for use in her work with women and girls.

Miss Agnes Ellen Harris, dean of women and state home demonstration agent, has general charge of the conference. The county home agents present are: Miss Ruth Dobyné, Barboura County; Miss Mary R. Stradwick, Baldwin County; Mrs. V. C. Lingo, Barbour County; Mrs. Mabel Peagin, Bullock County; Miss Stella Harma, Calhoun County; Mrs. Z. G. Jackson, Chambers County; Miss Bertha L. Ferguson, Clark County; Mrs. J. E. S. Rudd, Clay County; Miss Louella Hamilton, Conecuh County; Miss Gladys McCain, Coosa County; Mrs. Mary S. Shook, Covington County; Miss Ida Brunson, Crenshaw County; Miss Elizabeth Striplin, Culkin County; Miss Essie C. Hester, Dale County; Mrs. Annette S. Tyndall, Dallas County; Mrs. Mary W. Segers, Escambia County; Mrs. D. B. Williams, Etowah County; Miss Cary Hotchkiss, Geneva County; Miss Martha McCall, Henry County; Miss Sarah E. King, Houston County; Mrs. P. B. Crawford, Jefferson County; Miss Ruth Whorton, Lee County; Miss Blanche Mae Heard, Limestone County; Mrs. Lida Jones, Macon County; Miss Evelyn Peyton, Madison County; Mrs. Louise M. Riley, Mobile County; Miss Ola D. Overby, Pickens County; Miss Harriet Plowden, Talladega County; Miss Thalia Bell, Tallapoosa County and Miss Sarah Reid, Tuscaloosa County.

Coolidge Opposes Plan
Purely on Economic
Principle

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—Congress was informed today that the administration does not regard the much debated proposal to modernize the American battleships as conflicting with the arms treaty, but that President Coolidge believes that both the modernization program and certain new construction plans would conflict with his policy of economy.

Secretary Hughes in a letter to the house naval committee declared Japan and the United States agreed that elevation of guns on American battleships would be in harmony with the treaty although Great Britain has taken the opposite view.

Secretary Wilbur appearing before the same committee, said although the navy department would like to see enough construction and alteration to bring the navy up to the 5-5-3 ratio, the expenditures necessary had been vetoed by the budget bureau with the backing of the president.

A proposal to go ahead with the gun elevation program, Secretary Wilbur said had been presented to the president by the director of the budget, who then informed the navy department that the president viewed the expenditure as a conflict with his financial policies.

Secretary Wilbur insisted however, that with the completion of repairs on the battleship, Florida, the battle fleet, itself, will be up to the real ratio.

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Slain Bandit's Wife
Will Face a Jury

(Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 8—Nellie Wright, of Des Moines, Iowa, will go on trial before a jury in criminal court probably Monday on a charge of receiving the bank loot of her husband, William Wright, slain bandit, it was announced today by District Attorney Robert Murray who said reports that the case against her would be dismissed were erroneous.

One of the alienists who examined the girl yesterday reported her sane and the District Attorney said he would reduce her bond from \$15,000 to \$5,000 if anybody desired to go on it.

ROBERTSON MOVES HERE

F. Solon Robertson has moved to the Twin Cities to be located near his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Robertson. Mr. Robertson states that he intends to make Decatur his home, and has gone into business there, having equipped a shop on Vine street and started in to practice his trade, that of jewelry, watch and clock repairing.

UNUSUAL GROWTH
OF GROTTO CLUB IS
SHOWN IN REPORTS

Membership of 25 Now
Has Become Total of
350 Prophets

LEE RE-ELECTED
AS PRESIDENT

Officers For Year Are
Named at Annual
Gathering

L. W. Lee was re-elected president of the Albany-Decatur Grotto club at a meeting of the membership at the Lodge rooms in the Masonic theater building on Wednesday night.

J. I. Chriestie became vice president and E. E. Dickinson succeeded himself as secretary treasurer of the club. E. H. Humphrey was elected chairman of the entertainment committee.

L. W. Lee was also elected to serve on the board of the Kam Ram Improvement company, which is in charge of the \$200,000 park recently purchased near Birmingham by the Kam Ram Grotto club. This company formed at a recent meeting of the organization is composed of seven members of the Birmingham club, and one from each of the Grotto clubs in the state, each club having the right to nominate its representative.

The local club has passed a successful year under the regime of its old officers, several of whom are returned to their stations, and one in which the growth and strength of the organization has matured wonderfully.

The first ceremonial of the club ever held here was solemnized in December and proclaimed the greatest exhibition ever held in the Twin Cities.

Started with a membership of 25, in the year 1925 the club has increased until it now embraces over 350 members and is recognized as one of the most beneficial and respected fraternities in the section. The second year of the new club is watched with interest, for a great deal is promised as improvements in the organization continue.

Wounded Woman
Is Improved Today

(Associated Press)

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 8—The condition of Miss Laura Palmer, 28, instructress in the University of Wisconsin who was shot yesterday by F. H. Benard who then took his own life, was improved early today and physicians at the hospital were hopeful she would recover.

Because of her weakened condition it was decided not to question her last night and District Attorney La Follette was awaiting word from the physician this morning, before interviewing her.

HIBBING, Minn., Jan. 8—Police today had more than a score of letters written in a feminine hand belonging to Francis X. Benard, who killed himself after wounding Miss Laura Palmer, at Madison, Wis., yesterday.

Allied Ministers
Engage In Parley

(Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 8—The conference of allied finance ministers, called for the proposed settling of a number of points in connection with German reparations payment, had a session of half an hour this afternoon to consider a program.

American Ambassador Herrick, Winston Churchill the British chancellor of the exchequer, French Minister Clementel Premier Theunis of Belgium, Finance Minister Stefani of Italy and Viscount Ishii of Japan held an unofficial meeting earlier in the afternoon in M. Clementel's office.

After the meeting, Ambassador Herrick and Mr. Churchill walked arm in arm to the formal meeting.

ELLENEN CHIEF TO
VISIT TWIN CITIES
LATE THIS MONTH

President Mapother To
Be Banqueted By
Civic Chamber

DIRECTORS MEET
TO PLAN AFFAIR

Good Will of Cities To
Railroad Head Will
Be Shown

Colonel W. L. Mapother, president of the vast Louisville and Nashville railway system, will visit the cities of Albany and Decatur near January 21, according to information received this morning by Judge John C. Eyster local attorney for the Louisville and Nashville.

The visit is the result of an invitation of some months ago extended by the chamber of commerce in an effort to bring the head of the largest industrial organization in the Twin Cities so that he might see the conditions that prevail and understand the vast amount of good will in the Twin Cities toward the road and its officials.

A meeting was called this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the chamber of commerce offices for the purpose of formulating plans for the entertainment of the distinguished visitor. Only directors were called to the meeting.

Secretary Meiriger said today that it was possible that the plans would include a banquet for the visitor, a number of speeches by local prominent business men and a visit to the branch shops that are located here. He also stated that there would be other entertainment arranged but the plans were not yet ready to be made public.

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New York Laborer says
He Lost \$3,660 In
Bold Hold Up

(Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 8—Mike Tauson, 50, of New York city was robbed of \$3,660 early today by two armed men who entered his room in a local hotel according to police.

Tauson said he left New York this week to visit a friend in Blaston, Ala. With him he carried his savings in an inside pocket. After leaving Atlanta, on his journey to Birmingham, he said, a young man took a seat beside him in the passenger coach and became exceedingly friendly.

When the reached Birmingham they took a room in a hotel together.

Early this morning Tauson said two men came into his room one of them his roommate, robbed him and then drugged him to prevent an outcry. He said he remembered nothing until he awoke this morning.

Tauson stated he was a laborer who had worked for a railroad company in New York for the past ten years. The money stolen, he said represented his savings for that period.

Wm. McLemore Is
Called by Death

William McLemore aged 28 years, died at the Benevolent Hospital on Wednesday night at 11:45 o'clock. He was carried to the hospital late in the evening suffering bronchial trouble brought on by an attack of influenza, living but two hours after being removed. An operation was deemed unadvisable.

Funeral services are to be held this afternoon at the McLemore home, at Elk River Mills in Limestone county where the body has been carried. The deceased is survived by his wife and three small children.

Ballot Disposes
Of The Principal
Issue Of Battle

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—The senate today passed the Underwood bill for the leasing of Muscle Shoals. The vote was 48 to 37.

There was a general splitting of party lines, 30 republicans and 18 democrats voting for the Underwood measure and 16 republicans and 20 democrats and one farm-laborer voting against it.

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—The senate proceeded with the Muscle Shoals question today under a voting agreement that should clear the way for an early end of the long fight over the question.

The agreement, reached suddenly late yesterday, calls for a vote by four o'clock on substituting the Underwood bill for the Norris government measure.

Although a close vote was in prospect Underwood supporters expressed confidence over the outcome. Substitution of the Underwood bill still would leave a final vote to be taken on enactment and in the meantime, it would give opportunity to open preferred status as an amendment for the proposal of Senator Jones, republican of Washington to refer the entire Muscle Shoals question to a commission for recommendation to the next congress.

STAY OF EXECUTION
GRANTED TO BAILEYGovernor Gives Time to
Mental Expert To
Submit Report

(Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 8—Governor W. R. Brandon today granted a stay of execution until February 3 in the case of Clarence Bailey sentenced to be hanged here tomorrow morning for the murder of James Culpepper a convict at Kilby prison.

The action of the governor followed a statement from the pardon board which declared that it was not adverse to the stay of execution as requested by petitioners for Bailey to grant an opportunity to furnish further evidence of his mental irresponsibility.

The reprieve was requested in order that all the petitioners to get a written statement of the testimony of Dr. W. D. Partlow, superintendent of the Alabama insane hospital who testified before the circuit court but whose testimony has not been presented to the board of pardons and the governor on account of recent illness.

ATLANTA MAN SLAIN
BY AXE WIELDERBloody Fingerprints On
Weapon May Be
Possible Clue

Classified Ads and Business Directory

1925 BEGINNER—Nice 5 room home with 2 lots on 10th avenue South at only \$2,150. This is a great bargain. J. A. Thornhill.

1925 STARTER—Lots of money to loan, fire insurance, deeds, mortgages and all legal papers written. Will appreciate part of your 1925 business. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One 6 room bungalow and business house, a good opportunity for grocery business and two good lots at bargain. Terms can be arranged to responsible parties. Apply 912 16th avenue East. Call for T. E. Baker. 8-3t.

FOR SALE—5 good fox hounds and four puppies. Can be seen at T. E. Baker, 1002 Tower avenue, East Albany, Phone Albany 42. 8-3t.

AUCTION SALE—The entire line of household goods and kitchen furniture of J. A. Lankford will be sold at auction at the Lankford residence 501 Prospect Drive, at 1 p. m. Saturday, January 10. 7-3t.

Business opportunity. For sale, best filling station and accessory business in Morgan County. Terms to responsible parties or will trade for city property or good farm. Worth your investigation. Inquire at Daily. 8-1t.

FOR SALE—A Chase piano, built in players, at a bargain; on terms; can be seen at 621 Canal St., Phone Decatur 92-W. 18-1t.

FOR SALE—Windshields any cars by C. E. Malone. 27-1t.

FOR SALE—Six room cottage on Johnson street located in the 400 block between 6th and 8th avenues 75 foot lot. All modern conveniences. Phone Albany 340-J. 6-3t.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster at sacrifice. New tires, body and engine in good shape. Call Albany 30 6-3t.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Will sell two pure-bred Tennessee jersey milk cows, dry at present, or trade for cow giving milk. A. V. Littletree, call Albany 507-W. 6-3t.

FOR SALE—Galvanized roofing. All lengths. Lowest prices. Quickest deliveries. John D. Wyker & Son. 2-12t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two story dwelling, 8 rooms, all conveniences, No. 402 Cain street Decatur. One store building Bank street, one store building, Lafayette street. Thos. E. Pride, Phone Decatur 13. 8-1t.

FOR RENT—1 close in 4 room dwelling and several others in South Albany and house 4 acres land. J. A. Thornhill. 8-3t.

FOR RENT—My home at Moulton Heights. Six large rooms, large hall and back porch screened in. Good garage and barn, two acres of land. W. T. Barnes, Phone Albany 190. 7-6t.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Two rooms unfurnished, close in, modern conveniences, to couple without children. Call Albany 542-W. 7-3t.

FOR RENT—4 room house and 1 acre land, 2 miles from Albany on state highway. Good water, barn and smoke house. \$12.50 per month. 5 room apartment, centrally located \$25.00. 7 room house, 6th avenue north, \$30.00. 4 room house, East Church street, \$15.00. 3 room house and 2 acres land, one mile from Albany, \$12.50 per month. No. 307 Lee street, \$15.00 per month. L. B. Wyatt & Son Phone 197. 7-3t.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, all modern conveniences. Line St., 308. Phone Decatur 245-W. 8-3t.

960 ACCIDENTS OCCUR—TO ONE FIRE

Accidents are 960 times more frequent to a man than fire to his property, yet, show me the man who doesn't carry fire insurance for the protection of his house or barn? Do you think more of your BARN than you do of yourself?

A RELIANCE ACCIDENT POLICY will pay you \$50.00 a week, if you are injured, and will pay you indefinitely. There is no time limit. No delay. No waiting period. In case of an accidental death, this policy will pay your Beneficiary \$10,000.00 IN CASH.

Automobiles have increased in the past few years, AND SO HAVE ACCIDENTS. Were you to blame the last time when the other fellow ran into you? You may be careful, but your neighbor may be careless, so protect yourself against the carelessness of the OTHER FELLOW.

W. E. Shackelford

Reliance Life

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FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms and kitchenette. Located at 325 Grant street. Phone 439 Albany. 6-6t.

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STRAYED—Into my barn, one horse. Owner can have him by calling at 1217 5th avenue south and paying for feed and advertising. Mrs. Mahoney. 7-3t.

LOST—Dinner ring with diamonds and ruby. Liberal reward for return to Mrs. John C. Bragg. 7-3t.

MISCELLANEOUS

I am here now for business at 112 Vine street, Decatur for the purpose of repairing jewelry, watches and clocks. All work guaranteed, prices reasonable. Your work will be appreciated. F. Solon Robertson. 8-3t.

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Ten pin bowling continues to take exceedingly well at the Y. M. C. A. afternoons and evenings. The attendance yesterday was a record breaker in the history of the Association according to a statement by General Secretary Randolph to Physical Director Arvidson, in charge of the bowling alleys. If this record keeps up there will be greater times ahead for all interested in bowling. Prizes will be offered to high individual bowlers as well as to teams winning victories. Special matches will be arranged with associations and organizations of surrounding towns. When summer comes a five-pin bowling tourney will be set up, and in order to be able to enjoy the same during hot summer evenings, an electric fan will be installed overhead. Everything will be done to make bowling one of the leading sports of Decatur-Albany.

Scores for last night: De Molays 1 2 3 Total

Hodson 90 90 90 270

Hammond 76 61 69 206

Young 117 113 95 325

Hatfield 98 144 86 328

Nebrig 115 84 78 277

Totals 496 492 418 1406

Bear Cats 1 2 3 Total

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Dr. Baugh 143 152 119 414

Jones 91 161 119 371

Gallagher 87 119 109 315

Webb 100 100 100 300

Totals 527 642 580 1729

the pin twirler who ran away with high single score of 161 the highest single score made thus far in the tourney. Dr. Baugh piled up a total pinnage of 414 last night. The match ended in four points for the Bear Cats over the De Molays team.

Tonight the "Y" Dormitory will bowl the Daily team. Personnel of these teams is Gray, Burnett, Kline, Basham and Arvidson, and Sims, Hatfield, Sheppard, McGlathery and Huie.

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Urge Annulment of Childless Marriages.



Dr. A. S. Pinto, city health commissioner of Omaha, Neb., has announced his belief—and is adhering firmly to it, despite a storm of protest—that childless marriages should be declared void after two years. Mrs. Pinto is one of those who takes issue with the Commissioner. She contends their marriage would have been one of those annulled had such regulations been effective, for their first child was born more than two years after they had been married.

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Team Standing

Y. M. C. A. 2 0 1.00

Albany High 1 1 .50

Decatur High 1 1 .50

Power-Roofing 0 2 .00

Y TEAM GOES TO H'VILLE SATURDAY TO PLAY DALLAS

Saturday afternoon the Y. M. C. A. team leaves for Huntsville where they meet the Dallas Y-Five in the evening in the first out of town invasion of the season. Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock a special practice session has been called by Captain Ellison and the men who will make the trip will be picked. Hartville, Ellison, Summerford, Chunn, Roper, Shelton, McBee, Neal, and A'Day have been called for the special session.

The local Y. M. C. A. team has arranged several out of town games and it is promised that some of the best teams in amateur circles in the state will be brought here before the season is brought to a close.

The want columns offer a splendid opportunity to the man who wants work and to the man who wants help advertise today its only a small sum that you will be glad to have spent

When the delicate tissues of your throat are raw and sore from cold and your strength is exhausted the constant hacking, yet may fall prey to more serious trouble. So stop the quickest you can, before it gets to be a very simple treatment. By a very simple treatment, and one that can be applied in 24 hours. The treatment is based on a remarkable prescription by Dr. King's New Discovery for Cough. It simply takes the symptoms and holds them in check. It is a simple treatment that will have a most wonderful effect. It not only soothes and heals, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which causes the cough. It is a simple treatment in this way the whole condition goes in a very short time. It has a strong action. It not only soothes and heals, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which causes the cough. It is a simple treatment in this way the whole condition goes in a very short time. It has a strong action.

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TODAY Daily of January
8, 1913Commissioner's court is in session at the court-house.
* * *The Decatur city council met in regular session last night.
* * *A group of ladies met at the home of Mrs. E. H. Allison to discuss the possibility of organizing a civic league.
* * *Judge and Mrs. W. E. Skeggs entertained the county commissioners at dinner today, the membership of the court including: Messrs. Hardage, Jackson, Foreman and Foote.
* * *Several prominent citizens of Decatur are being mentioned as possible applicants for the Decatur postmastership.
* * *Kansas was in the grip of an extreme cold wave, while reports were to the effect that the fruit crop in California is badly damaged as a result of the cold.
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Citizens of Alabama urge federal government to permit the construction of a dam across the Coosa river. Some urge that Governor O'Neal appear personally before the President of the United States in regard to the matter.

rolling stone gathers no moss, but who wants to be moss back?

Word comes that skirts are reduced, not in price, but in length.

Marrying a grass widow has a great advantage—she won't be continually throwing up the perfections of her first husband.

If balloons cannot stay in the air longer when they're flying over Florida or California, it isn't the fault of the people who reside in those states.

An Atlanta man, held on a dope charge, put the judge up against a new proposition, when he calmly swallowed the evidence.

Mobile officers received \$1,250 each for their part in the killing of "Handsome Bill" Wright, bank robber. Chasing bandits, however, at \$1,250 each is not exactly our idea of a quiet evening.

Representative Upshaw, of Georgia, pronounced "dry," hocked by the revelations of drinking in Washington, asks that every solon be required to sign the pledge or give up his job. Mr. Upshaw's plan would make it exceedingly uncomfortable for the "political prohibitionists."

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY GIVES
TS RADIO EQUIPMENT TO AUBURN

The Alabama Power company, which has been operating a radio broadcasting station known as WSY, has given its equipment to the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, which equipment will be used to augment and enlarge the equipment already given to the school by the Birmingham News.

The additional equipment of the station will make it one of the best stations in the South, according to the expressed opinion of radio experts. With such a station located at Auburn, the radio will be called upon to render great service to the people of Alabama. From the big station there, farm experts can broadcast information which will be of great benefit to the farmers of the state.

METHODIST MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WILL BE
FORMALLY OPENED JANUARY 14-15

Methodists of Alabama deserve the congratulations of the state on the splendid memorial hospital at Montgomery, which will be formally opened January 14-15. The hospital was erected by the two Methodist conferences in Alabama as a memorial to the Alabama boys who died overseas. It is the first institution organized by the general board.

The charity wards of the institution will be maintained by the yearly enrollment of the memberships of the Methodist churches in the Golden Cross society, each member being permitted to enroll upon the payment of one dollar, children twenty-five cents.

It is a great work Alabama Methodism has undertaken, that of ministering to the needs of suffering humanity and the Golden Cross is one of the most significant fea-

tures of the entire plan.

Alabamians, regardless of denomination, will be glad to have a part in the work.

WE CAN'T KEEP OUR PLACE IN THE
PROCESSION, CLIMBING HILLS IN LOW

If it were not for the more serious aspect of the matter, it would be amusing to glance backward in The Daily file and talk over some of the civic questions being pressed forward twelve or thirteen years ago. Notably among these questions was the bridge. Then we were shouting "build the bridge." Thirteen years afterwards we are still shouting "build the bridge."

The Twin Cities have made progress in the past twelve years, real and substantial progress. We have grown and prospered, it cannot be denied. We are slowly climbing up the hill toward civic greatness, but we cannot hope to keep our place in the procession, while we climb up the hill in low and other civic machines sweep past us in high! What we must do is get our own car limbered up, well oiled and take the hills in high too.

The business of building cities is much like all other endeavors. The pace is becoming more rapid, the competition keener. The time was when, if we ordered goods from a far-away market, and they reached us in the course of a month or two, we were satisfied. Now we order by telegraph frequently and expect the goods in by fast express. In one day and time, a weekly or a monthly digest would satisfy our craving for information. Now we demand that daily newspapers be right up to the minute with their telegraphic dispatches.

Drug stores, at one time handled drugs. Now we expect them to handle everything in creation. Styles in the mercantile houses could be a year or so behind, in the long, long ago, but now we see to it that they give us the latest from fashion designers.

This change is not confined to city-building. It is in everything, the business world, the churches and in literature.

Can we expect to keep pace with sister cities when we travel no faster gait than we did twelve years ago? We may continue our slow growth, but in these latter days when cities are built overnight, can we reasonably expect our ratio of development to be as great as the ratio of other cities, many of which have not near so many natural advantages?

Chugging away in our antiquated machine, we can be reasonably assured that some day we will reach the top of the hill, but when we get there we will very likely find strange company. Our municipal friends and rivals of other days will long since have disappeared down the highway.

Why not resolve, all of us, thus early in this brand new year that we will put plenty of oil and gas in the old car and see that it gets into high and stays there.

PARABLE OF RETOUCHED PHOTOGRAPH
IS TOLD BY SAFED, THE SAGE

In the current issue of "Associated Men," official organ of the Y. M. C. A., Safed, the Sage, meditates upon the "Parable of the Retouched Photograph," drawing the conclusion from the story that "there will be many surprised people in the day of judgment when they are shown the un-retouched negative that shows just how they really look to God."

Safed writes:

I went unto the shop of the Photographer. And I had to take the elevator to the top of the building and then walk up a flight. And I found the photographer was not working at his camera, but he had a glass negative under a black hood and he wrought with a lead pencil.

And I said, What art thou doing?

And he said, I am Re-touching this man.

And I said, considering the cost of the original touch I should think no re-touching would be necessary.

And he said, If I retouch not these negatives, then will no man come to me for photographs, and as for women, I will not mention them in this connection.

And I said, How is it done?

And he said, Where there is a wrinkle or a wart or a mole, then do I gently touch it all about with the point of this pencil, till I darken the place where it showed, and make it on the photograph as if it had not been.

And he said, behold these proofs of the un-retouched negatives, and these of the completed photographs.

And the re-touched negative was a beauty, reflecting more honor on the skill of the artist than on the beauty of his subject.

And he said, It mattereth not unto me whether I retouch a photograph or not, but if I make people look as they are, they will turn again and rend me.

And I said unto him, I have no pride in my beauty, but I should like to look as well as it is proper for me to look.

And he said, That is what they all say. Better leave the matter to me, and if I make a good looking man of thy portrait, ask me how much thou owest to the Lead Pencil.

And I considered now few men have the courage to look at themselves as they are, and how all men like to kid themselves into thinking that they are better and finer than they can be proved to be by the camera.

And I thought the beginning of the New Year a fit time to advise all men in their Spiritual life to be what they would seem.

And I said unto the Photographer, He would be a brave man who would tell men just what they are and how they look, and a large part of life is taken up with re-touching the negatives of our experience to make us look better than we really are. For this reason I fear there will be some surprised people in the day of judgment when they are shown the proofs from the un-retouched negative that shows just how they really look to God.

Thus spake Safed the Sage.

Safed bares our love of hokum. He would have us take from in front of our eyes the colored glasses of hypocrisy and sham and have us look upon ourselves as we really are. What a prodigious task. How few of us really ever accomplish it.

Of all the hard jobs with which this world is infested, the hardest for the human race seems to be what Al Fields, the late minstrel king described, as "watching ourselves pass by." We surround ourselves with friendly mirrors and bask in the reflection flatterers give us. Truthful mirrors, which show the wrinkles, the moles and the warts on our characters, we find excuses to thrust from us. We impugn the motives of any who would tell us the truth and turn from them.

We forget that honesty is the safest policy, as well as the best policy, and we constantly seek the companion ship those who "re-touch."

The principal witness for Congresswoman Frank D. Scott, of Alpena, Mich., in her sensational divorce suit against Mrs. Edna James Scott, was his private secretary, Miss Jane L. Kennedy, who testified Mrs. Scott confessed indiscretions to her.

McKenna Off Bench;
Stone in Place.

AMUSEMENTS

Speaking of picture casts the Alan Crosland-Parmount picture. "Sinners

in Heaven," which will open a run of

two days at the Princess theater to-day includes a list of prominent names that go to make up a truly all-star cast.

Bebe Daniels and Richard Dix are featured in the two principal roles of

the production which is an adaptation of the famous story of the same name by Clive Arden. The strong supporting cast includes Holmes Herbert, Montague Love, Effie Shannon, Florence Billings, Betty Hilburn and Marcia Harris.

Charter No. 10423

Reserve District. No. 6

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
Central National Bank

AT ALBANY, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1924

RESOURCES

1. a. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c).....	\$483,310.60
b. Acceptances of other banks discounted.....	None
c. Customers' liability account of acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted by it.....	None
Total loans.....	483,310.60
2. Overdrafts, secured, None; unsecured, \$220.65;.....	220.65
3. a. Customers' liability account of "Acceptances" executed by this bank and by other banks for account of this bank, and now outstanding.....	None
b. Liability of foreign banks and bankers for drafts and bills accepted by this bank to create dollar exchange, and now outstanding.....	None
4. U. S. Government Securities owned:	
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).....	200,000.00
b. All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any).....	116,258.32
Total.....	316,258.32
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:	51,479.42
6. Banking House, None; Furniture and fixtures.....	15,874.17
7. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	11,513.38
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	38,380.50
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks.....	221,470.34
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9 and 10).....	418.80
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12).....	16,498.21
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.....	238,387.35
14. a. Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank.....	5,555.05
b. Miscellaneous cash items.....	7,501.46
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	13,056.51
Total.....	10,000.00
	1,178,480.90

LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in.....	200,000.00
18. Surplus fund.....	40,000.00
19. a. Undivided profits.....	\$4,880.55
b. Reserve for losses.....	None
c. Less current expenses paid.....	4,880.55
21. Circulating notes outstanding.....	None
24. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 22 or 23).....	200,000.00
25. Certified checks outstanding.....	52,477.39
26. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	199.85
Total of Items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26.....	1,850.02
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
27. Individual deposits subject to check.....	296,057.24
28. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	6,500.00
29. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond.....	152,678.84
31. Dividends unpaid.....	6,066.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve.....	461,302.08
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
33. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	2,620.00
35. Other time deposits.....	213,694.63
36. Postal savings deposits.....	11.37
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve.....	216,326.00
Items 33, 34, 35, and 36.....	216,326.00
43. a. "Acceptances" executed by this bank for customers, and to furnish dollar exchange, None	
b. Less acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted (see Item 1c).....	None
45. Liabilities other than those above stated.....	1,445.01
Total.....	1,178,480.90

State of Alabama. County of Morgan, ss: I Thos. A. Bowles, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. A. BOWLES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Jan., 1925.

E. D. WHITMAN, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:

J. L. GUNTER,
S. M. THOMPSON,
J. S. WYATT, Directors.

MISS JANE L. KENNED

Facts about Child-birth

It has been proven conclusively that much of the suffering, pain and dread experienced during *child-birth*, as well as at child-birth, is entirely unnecessary. An eminent physician, Dr. J. H. Holmes, expert in *child-birth*, has produced the great *“Mother’s Friend”*, which aids the muscles and tissues to expand more easily, during the constant pressure of the birth of the baby, right up to the climax of *child-birth*. *“Mother’s Friend”* is a special external *“lotion”* for mothers who have used it. *“Pains disappeared in two days after using ‘Mother’s Friend’,”* writes Mrs. E. M. Smith to *“Mother’s Friend”*. *“Mother’s Friend”* is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

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Write Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. B-A-18, Atlanta, Ga., for free booklet giving you the facts you should know. *“Mother’s Friend”* is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

A MUSEUM AT THE THEATRES

PRINCESS NOW SHOWING



MRS. GEORGIA BULLOCK

Numerous anonymous threats of death have been received by Mrs. Georgia Bullock, first woman police judge ever to be appointed in Los Angeles.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Yar brought on January fifth a son.

No More Dull, Faded Blonde Hair!

Dull, streaky or darkened blonde hair can now be restored to its natural charming lightness and loveliness. This is thru a marvelous new light hair shampoo, called *Blondex*, which brings back the original golden color to darkened light hair in a natural, gradual way. Keeps already beautiful blonde hair from darkening. Makes hair soft, silky and gleamingly lustrous. *Blondex* is not a dye. Contains no injurious chemicals. Highly beneficial to hair and scalp. Fine for children's hair. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed or money gladly refunded. Get *Blondex* today. Only small cost at all good dealers, such as: Albany Drug Co., S. M. Thompson, Dillehay Bros., Preuit-Dillehay Drug Co., C. G. Turner, Decatur, Advt.

“I Got Real Mad when I Lost My Setting Hen,” writes Mrs. Hanna, N. J.

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For *Nuxated Iron* is a wonderful new combination of organic iron, like the iron in your own blood. It is entirely different from ordinary iron medicines. It does not injure the teeth or disturb the stomach. Furthermore, it is so highly concentrated that one dose is equal to eating one-half quart of whole iron. It is a natural vegetable. Take *Nuxated Iron* for just two weeks and you'll be astonished how much stronger and better you feel. Money back if not delighted. At all good druggists.

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THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL STATEMENT OF TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

Dec. 31, 1924

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts	\$4,330,480.46
Overdrafts	270.52
Stocks and Bonds	237,860.50
Banking Houses	106,250.00
Furniture and Fixtures	47,500.00
Real Estate	7,700.00
Cash and due from banks	1,812,390.95
TOTAL	\$6,542,452.43
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	\$6,542,452.43

NOTICE!

Any person caught keeping hogs in the corporate limits of the City of Decatur, will be arrested and fined.

DECATUR CITY MARSHAL

SOCIETY

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

THURSDAY

Silk Stocking Club, Miss Helen Russell, Thursday Club Mrs. Harry Carpenter, Thursday Bridge Club, Mrs. Robert Gray, Girls Club, Miss Katherine McCormack.

FRIDAY

Friday Thirteen, Mrs. A. A. Hardage, Canal Street Rook Club, Mrs. J. P. Brock, Saturday Club, Mrs. W. C. Bailey, Saturday Bridge Club, Miss Helen Russell.

EASTERN STAR RECEPTION FOR MISS DANCY

The Mary Lou Dancy Chapter of E. S. gave a reception on Tuesday evening honoring Miss Unity Dancy, who will leave soon on a Mediterranean trip to be absent several months. The Chapter was adorned in its regalia for the occasion.

After a business session the doors were thrown open and a splendid program was rendered as follows, violin solo, Miss Earline Johnson, accompanied on the piano by Miss Lucille Bailey, readings by Miss Marie Ballas, vocal solo, Mrs. A. T. Hanson accompanied by Miss Bailey, violin solo, Miss Marie Talley accompanied by Mrs. D. D. Burleson; orchestra numbers J. T. Nelson, Jimmy Nichols, John Berry and Miss Bailey.

Appreciation of all the numbers were expressed and especial mention was made of the attractive and graceful manner in which little Miss Marie Ballas rendered her two numbers *“Dorothy entertains the Minister”* and *“Proof Positive”*.

Refreshments were served to the large number present and during this time the orchestra gave several enjoyable selections. A splendid New Year's recipe in the form of a resolution was given by Dr. C. C. Davison which together with many good wishes expressed for Miss Dancy on her trip closed the evening's entertainment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met with Mrs. B. M. Bloodworth this week and those substituting for absent members were Mrs. Steinhart and Mrs. S. E. Patterson.

Mrs. H. R. Davis received the club prize, silk hose and Mrs. Steinhart the guest souvenir.

After the game refreshments were served.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. officers of the Central Baptist church met Tuesday evening in the church parlor to discuss and plan the activities of the union for the first part of the year. Many new features were introduced along with the regular business which was taken up with much enthusiasm.

Each officer made a resolution concerning his office for a greater and more efficient union. The following officers were elected at the regular meeting Sunday evening. Edward R. Spurlock, president, Walter B. Quick, vice president, Kate Frazier, leader, Ethel Mae Hatchett secretary, Roy Kirby, treasurer; Francis Burk and Pervin Love group captains, Sally Will Simpson, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. David Webb of Memphis, Tenn., is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. T. A. Caddell.

Mrs. I. M. Eubanks who has been confined to her room suffering with rheumatism is able to be out again.

WONDERFUL HOW GERMAN OIL RELIEVES RHEUMATIC PAIN

What sufferer from the pain of rheumatism, neuralgia, neuritis, gout or lumbago wouldn't like to have blessed relief from pain if assured that the trial would cost nothing if it failed?

Ask your own druggist for a trial bottle of this new German discovery called *Bubler Oil*, with written guarantee of relief or money back. On sale at:

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TUESDAY WHIST CLUB

Members of the Tuesday Whist Club were entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Miss Helen Russell when all members of the club were present.

After the bridge games it was found that Miss Polly Robinson had made highest score and she received the club trophy after which a delicious salad course was served.

Dr. and Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. John Pointer of Florence will be the guests for a few days of their sister, Mrs. Milton Harvey en route to Florida where they will spend a couple of months.

Mrs. William Watson of Eutaw, Alabama will arrive Thursday to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crawford.

PERSONALS

Professor J. C. Tidwell will leave Thursday to spend the rest of the winter in Florida.

Seneca Burr is reported resting well at the Benevolent hospital following a slight operation.

F. A. Bloodworth is spending a few days in Montgomery on business.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

Audrey Garrison after spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrison left in his car for Newberry, Fla., to resume his teaching.

Prof. Martin and family were in Hartselle shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Skeggs Johnston is sick this week.

Riley Cunningham left for Auburn to re-enter school.

Mrs. and Mrs. Onie Waugh have rooms with Mrs. Oscar Waugh.

All cases of flu here are reported better.

Mr. Cochran, deputy for the W. O. W. after spending the holidays at Killen, Ala., and other points arrived here Tuesday to resume his work for the order.

Miss Eva Winton left Monday for Roanoke to resume her duties as teacher in the public school there.

Miss Loraine Cooper of Six Mile was the guest Sunday of her aunt Mrs. A. M. Dunaway and family.

Dr. C. F. Peck and Mrs. Mary Peck entertained the younger set with an informal social Saturday night.

Messenger Boy, Now 81, Saw Lincoln Shot.



Henry C. Wolford, eighty-one, probably the oldest telegraph messenger boy in the world, has for the past four years been delivering messages in the downtown district in Washington, D. C. He was in Ford's Theatre there the night President Lincoln was assassinated.

Former Day Laborer Becomes Judge.

John L. Walsh



JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Eleven years ago John L. Walsh worked as a day laborer in New York City and studied law at night. He has just been appointed as a Justice of the Supreme Court of New York City by Governor Alfred E. Smith.

Decatur High School Notes

Misses Nannie and Edna Holland are moving to Texas much to the regret of all their schoolmates.

The big fire at Corinth did not delay Miss Green for a minute and a railroad wreck held Miss Sealy only one day. No hope for a holiday.

Old 1924 was reviewed at the chapel hour by such orators as: Tracy Knight, science; Emmie Frances Polhill, languages; Julia Lovin, math; Ethel Lanier, home economics; Anna Thompson, English; Bernard Beason, history; Marie Ballas, geography. Progress if you have no radio.

Mrs. Hanson and Miss Bailey give their recital on the 9th of the Parent-Teacher Association their lyceum, on the fourteenth and the juniors their play a little later.

Recitation periods must be "forty minutes in the clear," they said and so they added a few more minutes to each period. Anyhow the days will not be more than twenty-four hours long.

We are going to watch the Superintendent's new ring. Mr. Quinn made a nice speech in chapel and presented the gift in behalf of the faculty.

We hear that some of our teachers are riding goats in a lodge. We do hope the goat will leave them in a good humor about the time of mid-term examinations.

So many of our alumni and alumnae came to see us lately that we can not mention them. Good luck to them as they go back to college. Maybe we shall get them some day—maybe.

Our teacher of home economics, Miss Sealy teaches a night school once a week. It is a class in "dietetics" at the Benevolent hospital.

Your reporter can bear witness to the fact that the seniors are working on that annual. We are making progress but all our friends must help.

YE BARGAIN SEEKERS

We have just completed our inventory. We always find in our stock at this season of the year broken lots which we will close out at less than cost.

If you need anything from a pair of shoe laces to the best in ready-to-wear, both in men and ladies, it will be worth your while to see us.

SPEAKE & ECHOLS

Second Avenue

Kiwanis Club Holds Regular Meeting

The regular weekly meeting of the Morgan Kiwanis club was largely attended at the Y. M. C. A. at noon today when the club members and their guests gathered to discuss plans for the year in all lines of endeavor and work. The meeting was opened with prayer and song after which a delightful dinner was served.

The entertainment committee had prepared a program augmenting the regular features and two violin numbers by Professor Katchner accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Troop were thoroughly enjoyed.

The committee appointed to may out the plans for the year reported that they had not yet completed the campaign and the report was left over until the next scheduled meeting.

The meeting was one of unusual interest large attendance and full of enthusiasm. Adjournment at the regular hour.

BETTER THAN WHISKEY FOR COLDS AND

watch in your hand, take the one swallow and call for your back in two minutes if you feel the distressing symptoms cold fading away like a dream the time limit. Don't be hush all druggists invite you and try to it. Everybody's

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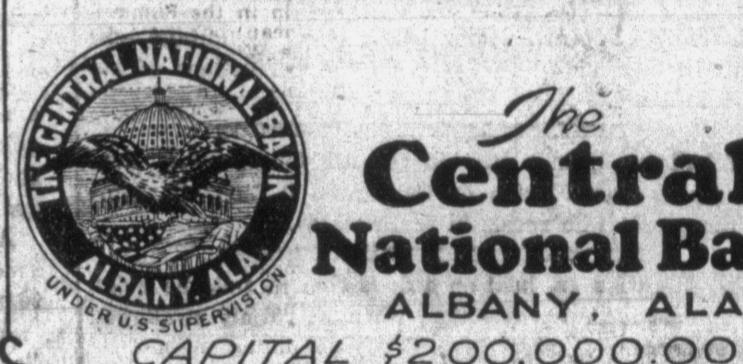
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DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

A WIFE'S CONFESSIONAL

Adele Garrison's New Phase of
Revelations of a Wife

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Madge's Strange Encounter with a Chinese.

FOR a second or two I thought Mother Graham would fall to the ground, from sheer terror at the vision my idle words had evoked, that of the possibility of an appearance at the house of the mysterious man she so dreaded. I held on to her tightly, and spoke with unusual sharpness.

"What nonsense, Mother," I exclaimed. "He never would dare do that."

She twisted in my arms and stared at me in alarm.

"He," she repeated. "What do you know about any 'he'?"

"Nothing at all," I promptly replied. "But you have been saying the word repeatedly. 'He' will do this, and you are afraid 'he' will do that, so I naturally supposed some man was annoying you in some way. Don't you think you'd better tell me all about it, so that I may take the burden of whatever is troubling you upon my younger, stronger shoulders?"

Her face and body sagged with relief, and her eyes lost some of their terror.

"To-morrow," she said faintly. "You'll probably know everything I know, but until then—I'm not sure—perhaps it's not true after all—perhaps he hasn't proofs—don't pay any attention to me, Margaret. I don't know what I'm saying half the time."

Don't Think About It.

"Don't think about it any more, then, until to-morrow," I counseled her soothingly, drawing her to the armchair by the fire and settling her in it. Then for the next half hour I devoted myself to the task of diverting her mind from the thing which was troubling her.

It was an old rule I used, that of asking her advice about problems, real and imaginary, concerning her husband, and it worked beautifully. After a while, she declared herself ready for a nap. I tucked her in not only with the consciousness of a task well done, but with the assurance that I would have an hour or two free for the investigation I meant to make.

For my eyes had seen what Mother Graham's, older and dimmer, had not been able to discern—the glimpse, fleeting but distant, of a man's hat just below the tops of the small trees in the woodland skirting the garden.

I had walked with Dicky in that woodland, and I knew that if a man stood erect in it his head and shoulders would be plainly visible. The fact that I could glimpse but the hat made it certain that the man moving through the shrubbery was bending over double as he walked.

That could mean but one thing—he was trying to avoid being seen—something which spelled some sin-

FAMOUS "FIRSTS"

Brief Stories of the Men and Women Who Led the Way
By MARK STUYVESANT

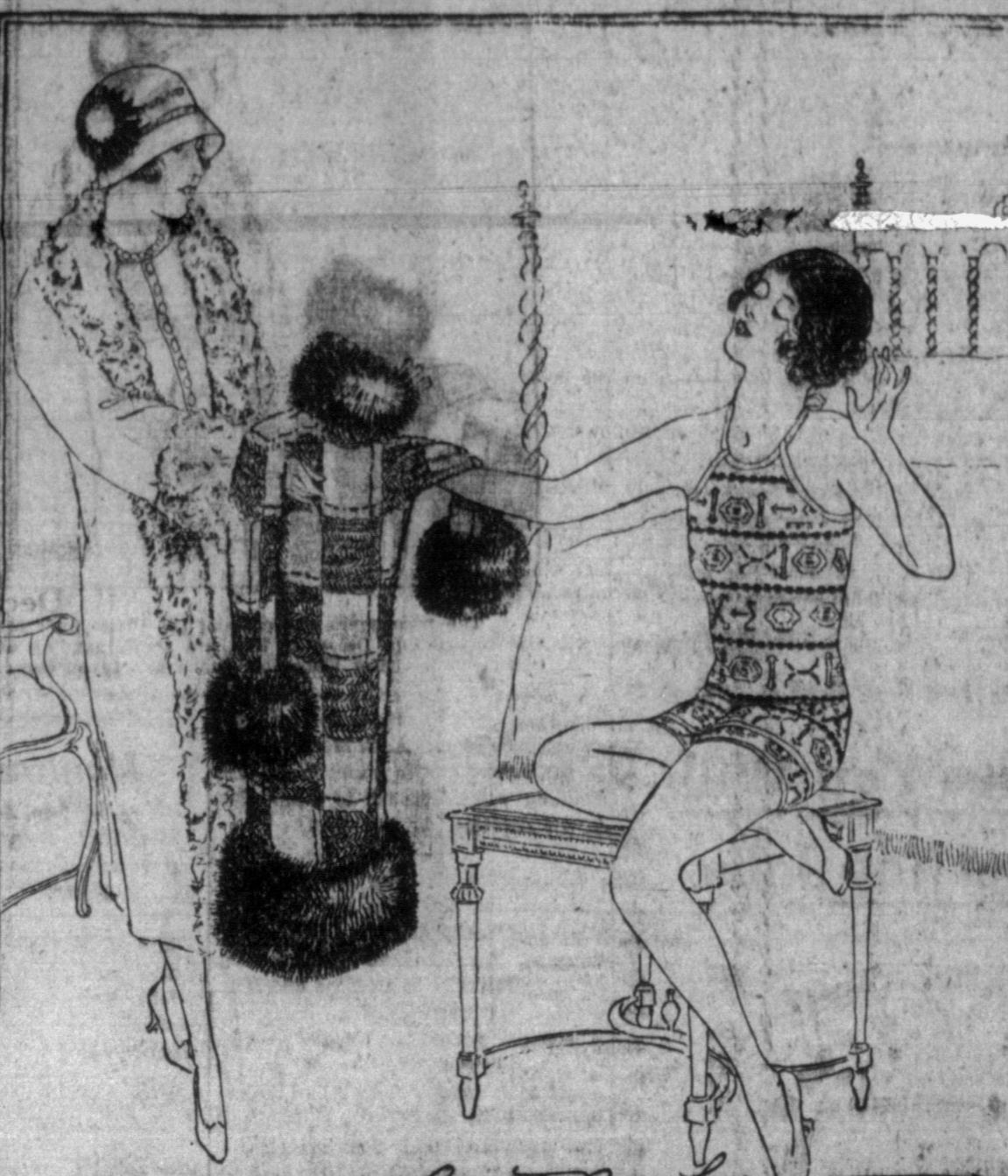
How the First University Was Started at Bologna.

"RAH, RAH" boys clad in knickerbockers and bright colored sweaters, sleepy old men in the midst of green lawns, hours of study relieved by football in Autumn and boat races in Spring "romps" and "varsity games"—spell college life in the twentieth century. A college town is marked by its spirit of youthful gaiety. Its streets are filled with young people and its whole life revolves around the boys and girls, who come year after year in endless succession for a brief sojourn in its ancient halls of learning.

The students who flocked to the first university in Bologna, Italy,

HER PROBLEMS

By Annette Bradshaw



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TRULY AN EMBARRASSMENT OF RICHES
CLEO—"Oh, Dot, help me decide. I've just bought this stunning bathing suit that is held in place by ribbons tied around the neck, and now my mother-in-law sends me this gorgeous imported knitted sports coat. Shall I go north or south this Winter?"

I whirled and confronted the Chinese who had said he was Hugh Grant's servant.

HOME-MAKING HELPS

"Everything About the House Helps to Make the Home"
By WANDA BARTON

Safeguarding Things We Do Not Like to Lend.

HERE are certain of our possessions that we don't like to lend. Not that we are selfish, but they are personal and we are attached to them enough to think that they reflect our own personality, and it seems like lending a foot or hand and it hurts to see others using them.

Perhaps we should head the list with umbrellas. Every one has, or should have, one or more of his own, and every household should have an umbrella of the cheaper sort to lend when it becomes necessary to do so—one of the gloria mixtures with a stout frame and the family name marked inside to insure its return. A week-end guest, for instance, frequently is without this convenience, and is quite happy to accept the protection of the family umbrella instead of borrowing someone's favorite.

In our family, a wise mother, whose family was all equipped with raincoats, kept on hand a waterproof cape of ample proportions for guest use and found it invaluable. It was made of material that in no way lost its value by being folded away in a drawer until needed.

What One Hostess Did.

A hostess in a country home where the young people, daughters and sons, had a great deal of company, had a hall cabinet with a glass door and a good lock, and in it she kept all the small toilet conveniences, sponges, wash cloths, shoe dressing, hairpins, pins, tape and the other little things so often needed by visitors and borrowed. The prices were all marked on the things and a box was provided for cash. She carried the key, and when things were asked for she would provide them at the regular store price, which enabled her to keep up her standards.

This was thought a bit mercenary by some, but the fair-minded all felt it more honest to buy than to borrow and were willing to pay.

Among the little necessities were stamps, always borrowed and when borrowed rarely returned. It is an idea worth borrowing by other hostesses who have suffered from the persistent borrower who fails to pay back these debts of convenience. In a small town borrowing becomes acute at times and a stand has to be taken to rid one's self of the nuisance, as those with experience know.

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"Which ones did you like especially?" I queried.

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"And after that?" I asked.

"Well, seriously," Madame began. "I must do sketch of one of the most stunning gowns there. It was worn by a Russian princess and it really was a dress."

We waited breathless, while one of the girls found pencil and pad and Madame began to sketch.

"The dress was fragile lace over gray satin," Madame explained as her pencil moved.

"And it had a very long, slim line," I added, as I saw the outline of the model she was drawing.

"In fact, it had no waistline at all," Madame continued. "It was simply a long, straight sheath that dipped up a bit at the center-front."

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YOUR HEALTH

Soap, Clothing or Nerves May Cause Skin Itch.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.

United States Senator from New York.

Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.



ITCHING of the skin is a common winter ailment. Sometimes it is called "Mid-Winter pruritis." In the old days of red flannel and heavy underwear it was a more general complaint than it is in these days of modern dress.

Our skins differ in texture, oil content and sensitiveness to heat, cold and dampness. Anything that disturbs the demands of the particular individual may cause just enough irritation in some of the other surfaces to cause violent itching and burning.

The wrong kind of soap may act as an irritant. Some soaps appear to be too strong. That is, they are so strongly alkaline as to cut and remove all the oils from the skin surface, leaving it abnormally sensitive.

Chapping of the skin from moisture which evaporates and disturbs the surface, is another cause for itching. This was one of the factors in the winter period.

Disturbance of the circulation is another cause for trouble. On removing the clothing, especially the stockings and garters, the lower limbs may furiously itch. One can hardly resist the impulse to scratch and tear the skin to relieve the suffering.

It is a common experience to have one patch on the body that is the only itching place. This may be due to some disturbance in the nerve supply. But even in such cases, there must be some exciting cause to start the trouble.

There are many sufferers in whom itching of the skin is a sign of fatigue, overwork, worry, late hours, dissipation, excessive stimulation, and all the other causes for nervousness and a run-down condition.

Certain diseases—for instance, diabetes and jaundice—have itching of the skin as a symptom. Intestinal absorption, delayed digestion and sluggish kidney action may be responsible.

In the way of treatment, the first suggestion is that a greater quantity of water be used for drinking purposes and for a time to keep water from the itching area.

Select a mild soap and use it sparingly. Apply cold cream to the affected parts after bathing.

Adjust the clothing so there is no interference with the circulation.

For the itching itself, there is no other application equal to hypomagnesite of soda. A teaspoonful in a cupful of water, applied by patting the surface with a pad of cotton, will give relief. In a very bad case, add a cupful of the hypomagnesite to a tub of water and soak in it for a quarter of an hour.

Answers to Health Questions

MISS C. A. Q.—Is there any way of straightening the front teeth other than wearing a brace?

A.—This is about the only way. However, consult dentist and have him advise you.

A READER. Q.—Is it possible for one to carry the smallpox germ in his clothing? Is it necessary to have the house fumigated by the Department of Health after a case of smallpox?

A.—No. Yes, it is necessary to have the house properly fumigated.

T. E. I. Q.—What is the correct

weight for a girl 16 years of age, height 5 feet 1 inch?

2.—How can I correct round shoulders?

3.—Is there anything I can use to make freckles less noticeable?

4.—Kindly advise me about—

A.—About 113 pounds.

2.—You should try to form the habit of walking erect. Deep breathing is also helpful.

3.—Apply equal parts of lemon juice and peroxide to your skin. This will help to make the freckles less noticeable.

4.—For full particulars, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope, restating your question.

M. K. Q.—My father suffers from occasional pains due to stones in the bladder. Is this a serious condition and how can these pains be avoided?

A.—This is serious inasmuch as it is very painful. Usually in such cases an operation is indicated for permanent relief, but there are several remedies which will give temporary relief. Follow the advice of your family physician, who is familiar with the case.

T. R. Q.—I have a peculiar noise in my left ear. It sounds like steam from an engine. Will you kindly tell me what causes this?

A.—This is probably due to nasal catarrh. If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope, restating your question, full particulars for the treatment of this condition will be given.

D. D. Q.—What will keep the feet from spreading?

A.—Properly fitted shoes should prevent this condition.

ANXIOUS. Q.—What can be done for white scars left by neglected ringworms?

A.—If the scars are slight, they may be removed by the use of the X-ray. Why not consult an expert in this kind of work and be guided by his opinion as to whether this would be advisable in your case?

Dr. Copeland will answer for readers of this paper questions on medical, human and general subjects that are of general interest and the subject of a letter is such that it cannot be published in this column, Dr. Copeland will, when the question is properly addressed, send an answer to Dr. Royal S. Copeland, in care of this office.

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Diary of a Fashion Model

By GRACE THORNCILFEE

She Describes a Dashing Evening Gown.

MADAME came in quite late this morning.

We maidens had expected that she would, for we knew she had gone to a big Charity Ball last night.

For weeks past all our most fashionable clients have been coming in to select gowns for the occasion and the party must have been a very brilliant affair.

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"I adore evening gowns with almost no backs at all," Gaby remarked.

"Then you would have liked this one," Madame assured her.

Now Madame busied herself drawing fine lines from either shoulder, which sloped into a bow placed low at the center-front.

She explained to us that the lines were simply two rows of glittering rhinestones, and that the bow where they met was of bright cherry velvet, the only touch of color on the gray flock.

We exclaimed with admiration and Madame insisted that the last feature was the most striking of all.

She referred to lace ruffles that swung from either shoulders to drop at the back and that were sewed to bands of rhinestones.

TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9.

According to the conflicting sidereal operations ruling this day there is the prospect of contradictory developments. In any event it may be a day of unusual interest and possibly excitement. Under a friendly Saturn there may be a breaking away of old congestions and obstructions, but the adjustment to new conditions should not be jeopardized by too rash or hasty methods or by impatience. Care and deliberation should be observed in all activities as well as in the matter of physical safety.

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Mothers with small children find Vicks especially valuable. It saves dosing delicate little stomachs with so much medicine. It usually checks colds overnight and relieves croup within 15 minutes.

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Hartselle News

valent in Hartselle and many children have fallen victims to it. Outside of a few days indoors, it is not expected that the disease will be of a very serious nature.

Circuit Solicitor Dave C. Almon of Albany was among his many friends here Monday afternoon. It is said of Mr. Almon that he knows more citizens in his circuit than any other man and is always able to call them by their given names.

Dr. J. B. Elliott of Falkville was in Hartselle on a business visit Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Elliott spoke enthusiastically in regard to the new school building just completed and occupied in his town, and it is well known that he was one of the prime movers for a bigger and better school building. Besides practicing his profession he operates a drug store at Falkville and has recently moved his drug store to brick building fronting the railroad.

T. E. Crittenden, well known lumberman of Hartselle began the erection Wednesday of another nice residence here. During the past eighteen months Mr. Crittenden has built several splendid fine homes here, and this

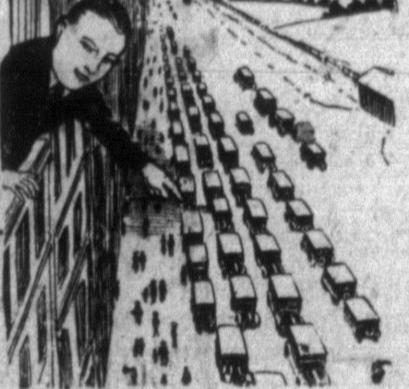
Mr. and Mrs. Ollie have recently taken a residence on Main street, occupying part of the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dixon.

Ben F. Bean and family have moved into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilhite. Mr. Bean entered the employ of Messrs. Poole and Sherrill on January 1, working in the grocery department. Mr. and Mrs. Bean recently came to Hartselle from the farm east of town in order to take advantage of the splen-

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The passengers and crew of the Clyde liner Mohawk, which caught fire off Sandy Hook and which was rushed into Delaware Bay, are shown landing at Lewes, Del., where they were taken by the U. S. Coast Guard Cutter Kickapoo, which had taken them off the burning vessel.

has done much to supply the deficiency in house room. A. C. McClannahan is the contractor in charge, and the building will be rushed to completion in the shortest possible time.

The second meeting for the New Year of the Hartselle Culture Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Corinne Doss on east Main street, with Miss Doss and Mrs. John L. Houston as joint hostesses. A musical program was the feature of the meeting, and several papers were read touching the work of American musical composers. Roll call was answered with the names of American composers. Dainty refreshments were served after the business of the meeting was dispensed with.

A week of prayer is being observed by the congregation of the First Baptist church and much interest is being taken in these daily devotions. The meetings are being held at the church. Mrs. A. T. Hanson of Decatur a recognized leader in this line of work came Wednesday and added much interest to the already interesting program being carried out.

The wagon bridge across Flint

board of education, and principal of the C. C. Smith school has been confined to his room at his father's near Moulton for ten days with influenza.

Mrs. H. L. Delashaw returned Friday from an extended visit to relatives in Texas.

Mrs. F. D. Gibson left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Chattanooga before returning home in Florida. She has been with relatives in and near Moulton for the past six weeks.

A. L. Long member of the county

Creek near the foot of the mountain just north of town has been completed, and opened for traffic for the first time Tuesday morning. This bridge meets a long flat wagon upon the part of those citizens living in Flint Creek bottoms west of the Bee Line highway, and gives them a way to get from their homes to the pike even in high water time. Heretofore during every high tide they were compelled to stay at home on account of back waters. It is understood that a good road is to be made to the bridge intersecting the Bee Line highway and across the bridge through the bottoms.

Edward Craig, senior at the University spent several hours of the past week with friends in Moulton. Mr. Craig is a graduate of the Lawrence County High school.

Miss Josephine Illeflin was taken to the hospital at Albany last week for an operation for appendicitis, she is reported as steadily improving.

Mrs. J. R. Burks is quite ill at her home on the east side of town. Her condition is thought to be quite serious.

M. B. Mackey is to open a new store on the north side of the public square about the middle of the month; he has recently bought a stock of goods in New York.

Practically all of the students of the various schools away from home returned the past week to their respective places of study.

Mrs. W. C. Bragg and children left

Sunday for a visit with her parents Goodwater, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hildridge. She was accompanied to Birmingham by Mr. Bragg.

Arthur Young of Landererville was in Moulton Friday on route to Albany-Decatur.

Miss Olivette Suttles formerly teacher of English in the county high school spent a few days of the past week with friends in Moulton as she returned to her work in Tusculum College, Greenville, Tenn., where she is now dean of women.

Earl Aldridge who has been for the past two months in Nashville studying the barber trade is spending a few days at home with his parents.

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